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Lars Christian LARSEN et al.

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Art Unit: 3679

For: A CLAMPING STRAP, A PIPE END JOINT  
AND AN EXHAUST SYSTEM

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Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

**LETTER**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant wishes to advise the United States Patent and Trademark Office that a PCT Declaration was previously filed to perfect Applicant's filing requirements. Applicant's have not received a Notification of Missing Requirements (371 Formalities Letter).

A further Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney satisfying U.S. requirements is submitted herewith. Please make this document of record in the above-identified application.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for

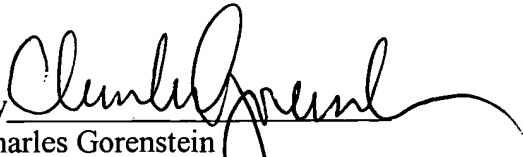
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any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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**LETTER SUBMITTING CORRECTED DRAWINGS**

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Attached hereto is 1 (one) sheet of corrected drawings.

Please substitute these corrected drawings for the corresponding 1 (one) sheet of drawings on file in the above-identified application.

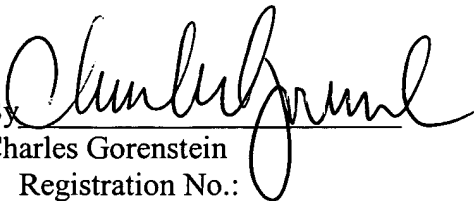
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